

FORM PTO-1449

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEATTY. DOCKET NO.
ICUMM.110AAPPLICATION NO.
09/213,138**RECEIVED**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
BY APPLICANT

FEB 16 2001

(USE SEVERAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY)

APPLICANT
Brown, et al.

FEB 20 2001

FILING DATE
December 16, 1998GROUP
2764

Technology Center 2100

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
<i>SW</i>	5,710,887	01/20/98	Chelliah, et al.	—	—	—
<i>SW</i>	5,715,453	02/03/98	Stewart	—	—	—

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
<i>SW</i>	WO 98/21679	05/22/98	PCT	—	—	—	—
<i>SW</i>	WO 98/32289	07/23/98	PCT	—	—	—	—

EXAMINER
INITIAL

OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)

<i>SW</i>	1	Seachrist, D., "Hanging Out An Internet Shingle", <i>BYTE</i> , Vol. 22, No. 4, pp. 136-140, April 1997.
	2	Bruno, L., "Dynamic Dividends", <i>DATA COMMUNICATIONS</i> , Vol. 26, No. 15, pp. 101-104, 106, 108, November 1997.
	3	Schloss, R.J., "Novel Business Uses Of Independently Created Hyperlinks In The World Wide Web: Basic Mechanism and Examples", <i>IEEE</i> , Proceedings of the 29 th Annual Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences — 1996, Vol. 2, pp. 137-146, January 1996.

H:\DOCS\KDL\KDL-1070.DOC:sb

EXAMINER

Shirley Wasylychuk

DATE CONSIDERED

4/3/01

*EXAMINER: INITIAL IF CITATION CONSIDERED, WHETHER OR NOT CITATION IS IN CONFORMANCE WITH MPEP 609; DRAW LINE THROUGH CITATION IF NOT IN CONFORMANCE AND NOT CONSIDERED, INCLUDE COPY OF THIS FORM WITH NEXT COMMUNICATION TO APPLICANT.